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Item 2 of the provisional agenda*
Organization of work

Annotations to the provisional agenda

Item 1

Opening of the session

1. Pursuant to decision 27/15, adopted at the first universal session of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) on 22 February 2013, the first session of the United Nations Environment Assembly of the United Nations Environment Programme will be opened at 10 a.m. on Monday, 23 June 2014, by the President of the Assembly or, in his absence, by one of the other officers elected at the last session of the Governing Council in 2013.

2. In accordance with customary practice, the opening plenary meeting will be preceded by informal regional consultations, which will be held on Sunday, 22 June 2014.

Item 2

Organization of work

(a) Election of officers

3. The Assembly is expected to elect officers, who will constitute the Bureau of the Assembly. Pursuant to paragraph 6 of decision 27/2 and the discussions of the Committee of Permanent Representatives to UNEP on the composition of the Bureau, the Assembly will be invited to elect one President, eight Vice-Presidents and one Rapporteur, ensuring that each of the five regions is represented by two members in the Bureau.

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(c) Organization of work

6. It is recommended that the Assembly at its plenary meeting on the morning of Monday, 23 June 2014, elect its officers and adopt its agenda and organization of work under sub-items (a), (b) and (c), respectively, of item 2 of the provisional agenda.

7. Following consultations with the Bureau elected at the first universal session of the Governing Council, in 2013, it is recommended that the Environment Assembly establish sessional committees, including a committee of the whole, a drafting group and a group of friends of the President, to support the preparation of an outcome document of the high-level segment.

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9. The Executive Director will deliver his policy statement during the first plenary meeting of the session, on the morning of Monday, 23 June 2014.

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11. It is recommended that at its plenary meeting on the afternoon of Friday, 27 June 2014, the Assembly consider and adopt outcomes of the session prepared during the session. It is recommended that at the same meeting the Assembly consider agenda items 3 (Credentials of representatives), 10 (Other matters), 11 (Adoption of the report) and 12 (Closure of the session). As noted in paragraph 17 below, at its first session the Assembly is expected to consider amendments to its rules of procedure, including to provide that members of the Bureau shall serve from the closure of the session at which they are elected to the closure of the following session. Prior to taking up item 12, in the event that it has so amended the rules of procedure, the Assembly may wish to elect officers to serve on the Bureau from the closure of the first session until the closure of the following session.

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Item 3

Credentials of representatives

16. In accordance with rule 17 of the rules of procedure, the credentials of representatives will be examined by the Bureau, which will report thereon to the Assembly.

Item 4

Amendments to the rules of procedure

17. The Assembly may wish to consider amendments to its rules of procedure, which were most recently amended by the Governing Council by its decision 27/1. Pursuant to rule 71 of the rules of procedure, the Assembly may wish to establish a working party that will submit a report on the matter for consideration by the Assembly. In support of the deliberations by the Assembly in this regard, the Committee of Permanent Representatives may wish to submit a report on its work on the facilitation of amendments to the rules of procedure (UNEP/EA.1/L.2).

Item 5

Policy issues

(a) State of the environment

18. Under sub-item 5 (a), the Assembly is expected to consider the following subjects:

(a) Implementation of decision 27/2:

(i) Stakeholder engagement;

(ii) Strengthening the science-policy interface;

(iii) Contributions by the regional ministerial environment forums for which UNEP serves as the secretariat;

(iv) Enhancing the coordinating role of UNEP in the United Nations system on environmental matters and a process for preparing a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment;

(v) UNEP policy on access to information;

(vi) Consolidation of UNEP headquarters functions in Nairobi;

(b) Implementation of decisions adopted at past sessions of the Governing Council:

(i) Decision 27/3, on international water quality guidelines for ecosystems;

(ii) Decision 27/4, on the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services;

(iii) Decision 27/5, with regard to the work of the Environment Management Group;

(iv) A process for the midterm review of the Fourth Programme for the Development and Periodic Review of Environmental Law and developments in the implementation of decision 27/9 on advancing justice, governance and law for environmental sustainability;

(c) State of the environment;

(d) Chemicals and waste management.

(b) Emerging policy issues

19. Under sub-item 5 (b), the Assembly is expected to consider emerging policy issues, including those listed under sub-items (a), (c), (d), and (e).

(c) International environmental governance

20. Under sub-item 5 (c), the Assembly is expected to consider the following subjects:

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(b) Implementation of decision 27/5, with regard to the work of the Environment Management Group;

(c) Relationship between the United Nations Environment Programme and multilateral environmental agreements.

(d) Coordination and cooperation within the United Nations system on environmental matters

21. Under sub-item 5 (d), the Assembly is expected to consider the following subjects:

(a) Implementation of decision 27/2 with regard to enhancing the coordinating role of UNEP in the United Nations system on environmental matters and a process for preparing a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment;

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(c) Corporate memorandums of understanding concerning cooperation between the United Nations Environment Programme and other bodies of the United Nations system.

(e) Coordination and cooperation with major groups

22. Under sub-item 5 (e), the Assembly is expected to consider the following subjects:

(a) Implementation of decision 27/2 with regard to stakeholder engagement;

(b) Contributions to the work of the Assembly by major groups and stakeholders.

(f) Environment and development

23. Under sub-item 5 (f), the Assembly may wish to discuss any other policy issues of relevance to environment and development.

Item 6

Follow-up to and implementation of the outcomes of United Nations summits, in particular the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development, and major intergovernmental meetings of relevance to the United Nations Environment Assembly

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Item 7

Budget and programme of work for the biennium 2016–2017 and the Environment Fund and other budgetary matters

25. Under agenda item 7, the Assembly may wish to consider the following subjects:

(a) Proposed programme of work and budget for 2016–2017;

(b) Proposed revision to the programme of work and budget for 2014–2015;

(c) Revisions to the financial rules;

(d) Management of trust funds and earmarked contributions;

(e) Relationship between the United Nations Environment Programme and multilateral environmental agreements.

Item 8

High-level segment

26. Pursuant to paragraph 5 of decision 27/2, it is expected that the last two days of the first session will take the form of a high-level segment. During the segment the Assembly is expected to discuss the themes "Sustainable development goals and the post-2015 development agenda, including sustainable consumption and production", and "Illegal trade in wildlife". Following the recommendation by the Committee of Permanent Representatives at its first open-ended meeting and the subsequent approval by the Bureau of the Assembly, the Executive Director has prepared recommendations on the organization of the segment as a scenario note to be made available to the Assembly.

Item 9

Provisional agenda, date and venue of future sessions

27. The Assembly may wish to consider and agree on the provisional agenda, date and venue of its second session. In doing so the Assembly may wish to take into account the discussions of the Committee of Permanent Representatives on elements of the provisional agenda for the second session of the Assembly and the cycle of the sessions of the Assembly.

Item 10

Other matters

28. The Assembly may wish to consider any other matters raised by its members and observers.

Item 11

Adoption of the report

29. The Assembly may wish to consider and adopt a report on the work of its first session.

Item 12

Closure of the session

30. The Assembly is expected to conclude its work by 6 p.m. on Friday, 27 June 2014.

Annex I

Composition of the Bureau of the UNEP governing body

	1995	*1997*	*1999*	*2001*	*2003*	*2005*	*2007*	*2009*	*2011*	*2013*	*2014*
Africa	VP Kenya	VP Algeria	VP Burundi	Rapp Uganda	Pres Uganda/ United Republic of Tanzania	VP Burkina Faso	VP South Africa	VP Algeria/ Congo	Rapp Mozambique	Pres Sudan	VP VP
Asia and the Pacific	Pres Pakistan	VP India	Rapp Islamic Republic of Iran	VP Indonesia	VP Republic of Korea	Pres Indonesia	VP Pakistan	Rapp Indonesia	VP Indonesia	VP Japan	Pres VP
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Latin America and the Caribbean	Rapp Chile	Pres Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela	VP Mexico	VP Cuba	VP Colombia	Rapp Bahamas	Pres Costa Rica	VP Mexico	VP Uruguay	VP Brazil Peru	Rapp VP
Western Europe and others	VP United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Rapp Canada	VP Netherlands	Pres Canada	VP Netherlands	VP Switzerland	Rapp Austria	VP United States of America	Pres Spain	VP Norway	VP VP

Abbreviations: Pres, President; VP, Vice-President; Rapp, Rapporteur.

Annex II

Documents for the first session of the Environment Assembly, arranged according to the items of the provisional agenda

Provisional Agenda item	*Symbol and title*	*Legislative authority*	*Suggested action/ draft decision*	*Consideration by the CPR*
2	**UNEP/EA.1/1** Provisional agenda	Decision 27/15		
	UNEP/EA.1/1/ Add.1 Annotated provisional agenda	Decision 27/15		
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/1 List of documents			
4	**UNEP/EA.1/L.2** Facilitation by the Committee of Permanent Representatives of amendments to the rules of procedure			CPR intersessional discussion continuing
5 (a) and (b)	**UNEP/EA.1/2** Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: stakeholder engagement in the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 7	CPR intersessional discussion continuing	CPR intersessional discussion continuing
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: strengthening the science-policy interface	Decision 27/2, para. 8	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/2 Note by the Executive Director on the UNEP Year Book 2014			Not applicable
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/11 Note by the secretariat on the Eye on Earth initiative			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/12 Note by the secretariat on the Programme of Research on Climate Change Vulnerability, Impacts and Adaptation			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/13 Note by the secretariat on the status of the Global Environment Monitoring System Water Programme and pathways to the future			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/14 Note by the secretariat on proposed procedures for enhancing future assessment processes			
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: contributions by the regional ministerial environment forums	Decision 27/2, para. 15		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.3 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: enhancing the coordinating role of the United Nations Environment Programme in the United Nations system on environmental matters: process to prepare a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment	Decision 27/2, para. 16	CPR intersessional discussion continuing	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.4 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: access to information policy of the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 17		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR

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	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.5 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: consolidation of headquarters functions Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/16	Decision 27/2, para. 13		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/16 Note by the secretariat on supplemental information relating to the consolidation of headquarters functions	Decision 27/2, para. 13		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/3 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous sessions: Governing Council decision 27/3 on international water quality guidelines for ecosystems	Decision 27/3, para. 4		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/3/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous sessions: Governing Council decision 27/4 on the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/15	Decision 27/4, para. 9	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/15 Note by the secretariat on the report of the second session of the Plenary of the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services			
	UNEP/EA.1/3/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous sessions: Governing Council decision 27/5 on coordination across the United Nations system, including the Environment Management Group	Decision 27/5, para. 7	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/3/Add.3 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous session: process for the midterm review of the Fourth Programme for the Development and Periodic Review of Environmental Law (Montevideo Programme IV), and developments in the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/9 on advancing justice, governance and law for environmental sustainability Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/10	Decision 27/9, para. 9		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/10 Note by the secretariat on the ratification of and accession to conventions and protocols in the field of the environment			
	UNEP/EA.1/4 Report of the Executive Director on the state of the environment Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/2, UNEP/EA.1/INF/11–14	Decision 27/11, para. 5	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/4/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on the state of the environment: support structures and processes for keeping the world environment situation under review, including progress on UNEP Live	Decision 27/11, para. 5		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR

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	UNEP/EA.1/5 Report of the Executive Director on chemicals and waste management: implementation of decision 27/12	Decision 27/12 IX, para. 1	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/5/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on chemicals and waste management: outcome of the country-led meeting of Governments to develop the terms of reference for a special programme to support institutional strengthening at the national level for implementation of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm conventions, the future Minamata Convention and the Strategic Approach to International Chemicals Management	Decision 27/12 VIII, para. 16		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/5/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on chemicals and waste management: outcome of the consultative process on enhancing cooperation and coordination within the chemicals and wastes cluster: strengthening the sound management of chemicals and waste in the long term	Decision 27/12 VII, para. 2		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
5 (b) and (c)	**UNEP/EA.1/2** Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: Stakeholder engagement in the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 7	CPR intersessional discussion continuing	CPR intersessional discussion continuing
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	UNEP/EA.1/INF/8 Report of the Executive Director on the relationship between the United Nations Environment Programme and multilateral environmental agreements	Decision 27/13, para. 29		Not applicable
5 (b) and (d)	**UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.3** Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: enhancing the coordinating role of the United Nations Environment Programme in the United Nations system on environmental matters: process to prepare a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment	Decision 27/2, para. 16	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR

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	UNEP/EA.1/INF/7 Note by the secretariat on statements and recommendations by major groups and stakeholders to the United Nations Environment Assembly at its first session			N/A
6	**UNEP/EA.1/2** Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: Stakeholder engagement in the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 7	CPR intersessional discussion continuing	CPR intersessional discussion continuing
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	UNEP/EA.1/9 Report of the Executive Director on amendments to the Instrument for the Establishment of the Restructured Global Environment Facility		To be prepared by the CPR	CPR intersessional discussion continuing

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	UNEP/EA.1/INF/3 Note by the Executive Director on the results of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly of relevance to the United Nations Environment Assembly	General Assembly resolution 62/208, para. 140, Economic and Social Council resolution 2010/22		
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9	To be determined			
5–7	**UNEP/EA.1/L.1** Draft decisions prepared by the Committee of Permanent Representatives		To be prepared by the CPR	

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15. A number of parallel events will be held in conjunction with the session, including the fifteenth session of the Global Major Groups and Stakeholders Forum, to be held on 21 and 22 June, a Gender Forum, to be held on 24 and 25 June, and symposiums on "environmental rule of law" and financing a green economy, to be held on 24 and 25 June, respectively. Further details on these events as well as on side events and associated events will be provided on the website and in the daily journal.

Item 3
Credentials of representatives

16. In accordance with rule 17 of the rules of procedure, the credentials of representatives will be examined by the Bureau, which will report thereon to the Assembly.

Item 4
Amendments to the rules of procedure

17. The Assembly may wish to consider amendments to its rules of procedure, which were most recently amended by the Governing Council by its decision 27/1. Pursuant to rule 71 of the rules of procedure, the Assembly may wish to establish a working party that will submit a report on the matter for consideration by the Assembly. In support of the deliberations by the Assembly in this regard, the

Committee of Permanent Representatives may wish to submit a report, through a statement by the Chair of the Committee, on its work on the facilitation of amendments to the rules of procedure.

Item 5
Policy issues

(a) State of the environment

18. Under sub-item 5 (a), the Assembly is expected to consider the following subjects:

(a) Implementation of decision 27/2:

(i) Stakeholder engagement;

(ii) Strengthening the science-policy interface;

(iii) Contributions by the regional ministerial environment forums for which UNEP serves as the secretariat;

(iv) Enhancing the coordinating role of UNEP in the United Nations system on environmental matters and a process for preparing a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment;

(v) UNEP policy on access to information;

(vi) Consolidation of UNEP headquarters functions in Nairobi;

(b) Implementation of decisions adopted at past sessions of the Governing Council:

(i) Decision 27/3, on international water quality guidelines for ecosystems;

(ii) Decision 27/4, on the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services;

(iii) Decision 27/5, with regard to the work of the Environment Management Group;

(iv) A process for the midterm review of the Fourth Programme for the Development and Periodic Review of Environmental Law and developments in the implementation of decision 27/9 on advancing justice, governance and law for environmental sustainability;

(c) State of the environment;

(d) Chemicals and waste management.

(b) Emerging policy issues

19. Under sub-item 5 (b), the Assembly is expected to consider emerging policy issues, including those listed under sub-items (a), (c), (d), and (e).

(c) International environmental governance

20. Under sub-item 5 (c), the Assembly is expected to consider the following subjects:

(a) Implementation of decision 27/2:

(i) Stakeholder engagement;

(ii) Contributions by the regional ministerial environment forums for which UNEP serves as the secretariat;

(iii) Enhancing the coordinating role of UNEP in the United Nations system on environmental matters and a process for preparing a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment;

(b) Implementation of decision 27/5, with regard to the work of the Environment Management Group;

(c) Relationship between the United Nations Environment Programme and multilateral environmental agreements.

(d) Coordination and cooperation within the United Nations system on environmental matters

21. Under sub-item 5 (d), the Assembly is expected to consider the following subjects:

(a) Implementation of decision 27/2 with regard to enhancing the coordinating role of UNEP in the United Nations system on environmental matters and a process for preparing a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment;

(b) Implementation of decision 27/5, on the work of the Environment Management Group;

(c) Corporate memorandums of understanding concerning cooperation between the United Nations Environment Programme and other bodies of the United Nations system.

(e) Coordination and cooperation with major groups

22. Under sub-item 5 (e), the Assembly is expected to consider the following subjects:

(a) Implementation of decision 27/2 with regard to stakeholder engagement;

(b) Contributions to the work of the Assembly by major groups and stakeholders.

(f) Environment and development

23. Under sub-item 5 (f), the Assembly may wish to discuss any other policy issues of relevance to environment and development.

Item 6
Follow-up to and implementation of the outcomes of United Nations summits, in particular the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development, and major intergovernmental meetings of relevance to the United Nations Environment Assembly

24. Under agenda item 6, the Assembly may wish to consider issues of relevance to UNEP follow-up to and implementation of the outcomes of the United Nations summits, in particular the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development, and major intergovernmental meetings of relevance to the Assembly.

Item 7
Budget and programme of work for the biennium 2016–2017 and the Environment Fund and other budgetary matters

25. Under agenda item 7, the Assembly may wish to consider the following subjects:

(a) Proposed programme of work and budget for 2016–2017;

(b) Proposed revision to the programme of work and budget for 2014–2015;

(c) Revisions to the financial rules;

(d) Management of trust funds and earmarked contributions;

(e) Relationship between the United Nations Environment Programme and multilateral environmental agreements;

(f) Amendments to the Instrument for the Establishment of the Restructured Global Environment Facility.

Item 8
High-level segment

26. Pursuant to paragraph 5 of decision 27/2, it is expected that the last two days of the first session will take the form of a high-level segment. During the segment the Assembly is expected to discuss the themes "Sustainable development goals and the post-2015 development agenda, including sustainable consumption and production", and "Illegal trade in wildlife". Following the recommendation by the Committee of Permanent Representatives at its first open-ended meeting and the subsequent approval by the Bureau of the Assembly, the Executive Director has prepared recommendations on the organization of the segment as a scenario note to be made available to the Assembly (UNEP/EA.1/INF/20/Rev.1).

Item 9
Provisional agenda, date and venue of future sessions

27. The Assembly may wish to consider and agree on the provisional agenda, date and venue of its second session. In doing so the Assembly may wish to take into account the discussions of the Committee of Permanent Representatives on elements of the provisional agenda for the second session of the Assembly and the cycle of the sessions of the Assembly.

Item 10
Other matters

28. The Assembly may wish to consider any other matters raised by its members and observers.

Item 11
Adoption of the report

29. The Assembly may wish to consider and adopt a report on the work of its first session.

Item 12
Closure of the session

30. The Assembly is expected to conclude its work by 6 p.m. on Friday, 27 June 2014.

Annex I

Composition of the Bureau of the UNEP governing body

	1995	*1997*	*1999*	*2001*	*2003*	*2005*	*2007*	*2009*	*2011*	*2013*	*2014*
Africa	VP Kenya	VP Algeria	VP Burundi	Rapp Uganda	Pres Uganda/ United Republic of Tanzania	VP Burkina Faso	VP South Africa	VP Algeria/ Congo	Rapp Mozambique	Pres Sudan	VP VP
Asia and the Pacific	Pres Pakistan	VP India	Rapp Islamic Republic of Iran	VP Indonesia	VP Republic of Korea	Pres Indonesia	VP Pakistan	Rapp Indonesia	VP Indonesia	VP Japan	Pres VP
Eastern Europe	VP Romania	VP Russian Federation	Pres Slovakia	VP Poland	Rapp Czech Republic	VP Romania	VP Czech Republic	Pres Serbia	VP Hungary Romania	Rapp Poland	VP VP
Latin America and the Caribbean	Rapp Chile	Pres Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela	VP Mexico	VP Cuba	VP Colombia	Rapp Bahamas	Pres Costa Rica	VP Mexico	VP Uruguay	VP Brazil Peru	Rapp VP
Western Europe and others	VP United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Rapp Canada	VP Netherlands	Pres Canada	VP Netherlands	VP Switzerland	Rapp Austria	VP United States of America	Pres Spain	VP Norway	VP VP

Abbreviations: Pres, President; VP, Vice-President; Rapp, Rapporteur.

Annex II

Documents for the first session of the Environment Assembly, arranged according to the items of the provisional agenda

Provisional Agenda item	*Symbol and title*	*Legislative authority*	*Suggested action/ draft decision*	*Consideration by the CPR*
2	**UNEP/EA.1/1** Provisional agenda	Decision 27/15		
	UNEP/EA.1/1/ Add.1 Annotated provisional agenda	Decision 27/15		
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/1 List of documents			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/20/Rev.1 Scenario note for the first session of the United Nations Environment Assembly of the United Nations Environment Programme			
4	**UNEP/EA.1/L.2** Facilitation by the Committee of Permanent Representatives of amendments to the rules of procedure			CPR intersessional discussion continuing
5 (a) and (b)	**UNEP/EA.1/2** Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: stakeholder engagement in the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 7	CPR intersessional discussion continuing	CPR intersessional discussion continuing
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: strengthening the science-policy interface	Decision 27/2, para. 8	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/2 Note by the Executive Director on the UNEP Year Book 2014			Not applicable
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/11 Note by the secretariat on the Eye on Earth initiative			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/12 Note by the secretariat on the Programme of Research on Climate Change Vulnerability, Impacts and Adaptation			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/13 Note by the secretariat on the status of the Global Environment Monitoring System Water Programme and pathways to the future			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/14 Note by the secretariat on proposed procedures for enhancing future assessment processes			
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: contributions by the regional ministerial environment forums	Decision 27/2, para. 15		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.3 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: enhancing the coordinating role of the United Nations Environment Programme in the United Nations system on environmental matters: process to prepare a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment	Decision 27/2, para. 16	CPR intersessional discussion continuing	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR

Provisional Agenda item	*Symbol and title*	*Legislative authority*	*Suggested action/ draft decision*	*Consideration by the CPR*
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.4 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: access to information policy of the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 17		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/23 Note by the secretariat on the United Nations Environment Programme access-to-information policy			
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.5 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: consolidation of headquarters functions	Decision 27/2, para. 13		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/16			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/16 Note by the secretariat on supplemental information relating to the consolidation of headquarters functions	Decision 27/2, para. 13		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/3 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous sessions: Governing Council decision 27/3 on international water quality guidelines for ecosystems	Decision 27/3, para. 4		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/3/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous sessions: Governing Council decision 27/4 on the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services	Decision 27/4, para. 9	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/15			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/15 Note by the secretariat on the report of the second session of the Plenary of the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services			
	UNEP/EA.1/3/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous sessions: Governing Council decision 27/5 on coordination across the United Nations system, including the Environment Management Group	Decision 27/5, para. 7	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/3/Add.3 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous session: process for the midterm review of the Fourth Programme for the Development and Periodic Review of Environmental Law (Montevideo Programme IV), and developments in the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/9 on advancing justice, governance and law for environmental sustainability	Decision 27/9, para. 9		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/10			
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/10 Note by the secretariat on the ratification of and accession to conventions and protocols in the field of the environment			

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	UNEP/EA.1/4 Report of the Executive Director on the state of the environment Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/2, UNEP/EA.1/INF/11–14	Decision 27/11, para. 5	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/4/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on the state of the environment: support structures and processes for keeping the world environment situation under review, including progress on UNEP Live	Decision 27/11, para. 5		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/5 Report of the Executive Director on chemicals and waste management: implementation of decision 27/12	Decision 27/12 IX, para. 1	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/5/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on chemicals and waste management: outcome of the country-led meeting of Governments to develop the terms of reference for a special programme to support institutional strengthening at the national level for implementation of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm conventions, the future Minamata Convention and the Strategic Approach to International Chemicals Management	Decision 27/12 VIII, para. 16		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/5/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on chemicals and waste management: outcome of the consultative process on enhancing cooperation and coordination within the chemicals and wastes cluster: strengthening the sound management of chemicals and waste in the long term	Decision 27/12 VII, para. 2		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
5 (b) and (c)	**UNEP/EA.1/2** Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: Stakeholder engagement in the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 7	CPR intersessional discussion continuing	CPR intersessional discussion continuing
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: contributions by the regional ministerial environment forums	Decision 27/2, para. 15		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.3 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: enhancing the coordinating role of the United Nations Environment Programme in the United Nations system on environmental matters: process to prepare a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment	Decision 27/2, para. 16	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/22 Note by the secretariat on the process to prepare a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment			
	UNEP/EA.1/3/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous sessions: Governing Council decision 27/5 on coordination across the United Nations system, including the Environment Management Group	Decision 27/5, para. 7	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR

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	UNEP/EA.1/INF/8 Report of the Executive Director on the relationship between the United Nations Environment Programme and multilateral environmental agreements	Decision 27/13, para. 29		Not applicable
5 (b) and (d)	**UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.3** Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: enhancing the coordinating role of the United Nations Environment Programme in the United Nations system on environmental matters: process to prepare a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/23	Decision 27/2, para. 16	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/3/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of decisions adopted by the governing body at previous sessions: Governing Council decision 27/5 on coordination across the United Nations system, including the Environment Management Group	Decision 27/5, para. 7	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/9 Note by the Executive Director on corporate memorandums of understanding concerning cooperation between the United Nations Environment Programme and other bodies of the United Nations system			Not applicable
5 (b) and (e)	**UNEP/EA.1/2** Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: stakeholder engagement in the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 7	CPR intersessional discussion continuing	CPR intersessional discussion continuing
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/7 Note by the secretariat on statements and recommendations by major groups and stakeholders to the United Nations Environment Assembly at its first session			N/A
6	**UNEP/EA.1/2** Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: Stakeholder engagement in the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 7	CPR intersessional discussion continuing	CPR intersessional discussion continuing
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2. Strengthening the science-policy interface Related: UNEP/EA.1/INF/2 and UNEP/EA.1/INF/11–14	Decision 27/2, para. 8	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.2 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: contributions by the regional ministerial environment forums for which UNEP serves as the secretariat	Decision 27/2, para. 15		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.3 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: enhancing the coordinating role of the United Nations Environment Programme in the United Nations system on environmental matters: process to prepare a United Nations system-wide strategy on the environment	Decision 27/2, para. 16	Omnibus decision	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR

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	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.4 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: access to information policy of the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/2, para. 17		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/2/Add.5 Report of the Executive Director on the implementation of Governing Council decision 27/2: consolidation of headquarters functions Related UNEP/EA.1/INF/16	Decision 27/2, para. 13		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/9 Report of the Executive Director on amendments to the Instrument for the Establishment of the Restructured Global Environment Facility		To be prepared by the CPR	CPR intersessional discussion continuing
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/3 Note by the Executive Director on the results of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly of relevance to the United Nations Environment Assembly	General Assembly resolution 62/208, para. 140, Economic and Social Council resolution 2010/22		
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/3/Add.1 Note by the Executive Director on follow-up to General Assembly resolution 67/226	General Assembly resolution 67/226		
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/4 Note by the Executive Director on the report on the work of the Committee of Permanent Representatives			Not applicable
7	**UNEP/EA.1/6** Report of the Executive Director on the revision of the financial rules of the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/13, para. 18		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/7 Report of the Executive Director on the proposed biennial programme of work and budget for 2016–2017	Decision 27/13, para. 28	CPR intersessional work continuing	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/7/Add.1 Report of the Executive Director on the proposed revised programme of work and budget for 2014–2015		CPR intersessional work continuing	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/24 Note by the Executive Director on changes to the programme of work and budget for the biennium 2014-2015			
	UNEP/EA.1/8 Report of the Executive Director on the management of trust funds and earmarked contributions	Decision 27/14, para. 5	CPR intersessional work continuing	Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/5 Report of the Executive Director on the status of the Environment Fund and other sources of funding of the United Nations Environment Programme	Decision 27/13, para. 14		Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/6 Note by the secretariat on the programme performance report			Discussed at the open-ended meeting of the CPR

Provisional Agenda item	*Symbol and title*	*Legislative authority*	*Suggested action/ draft decision*	*Consideration by the CPR*
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/8 Report of the Executive Director on the relationship between the United Nations Environment Programme and multilateral environmental agreements	Decision 27/13, para. 29		
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/17 Note by the Executive Director on the voluntary indicative scale of contributions for the biennium 2014–2015			
	UNEP/EA.1/9 Report of the Executive Director on amendments to the Instrument for the Establishment of the Restructured Global Environment Facility		To be prepared by the CPR	CPR intersessional discussion continuing
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/21 Note by the secretariat on information supplementary to the report of the Executive Director on amendments to the Instrument for the Establishment of the Restructured Global Environment Facility			
8	**UNEP/EA.1/INF/18** Information note by the secretariat on environmental sustainability for human well-being in the post-2015 development agenda	Decisions 27/2 and 27/15		
	UNEP/EA.1/INF/19 Information note by the secretariat on illegal trade in wildlife: the environmental, social and economic consequences for sustainable development	Decisions 27/2 and 27/15		
9	To be determined			
5–7	**UNEP/EA.1/L.1** Draft decisions prepared by the Committee of Permanent Representatives		To be prepared by the CPR	

Abbreviation: CPR, Committee of Permanent Representatives